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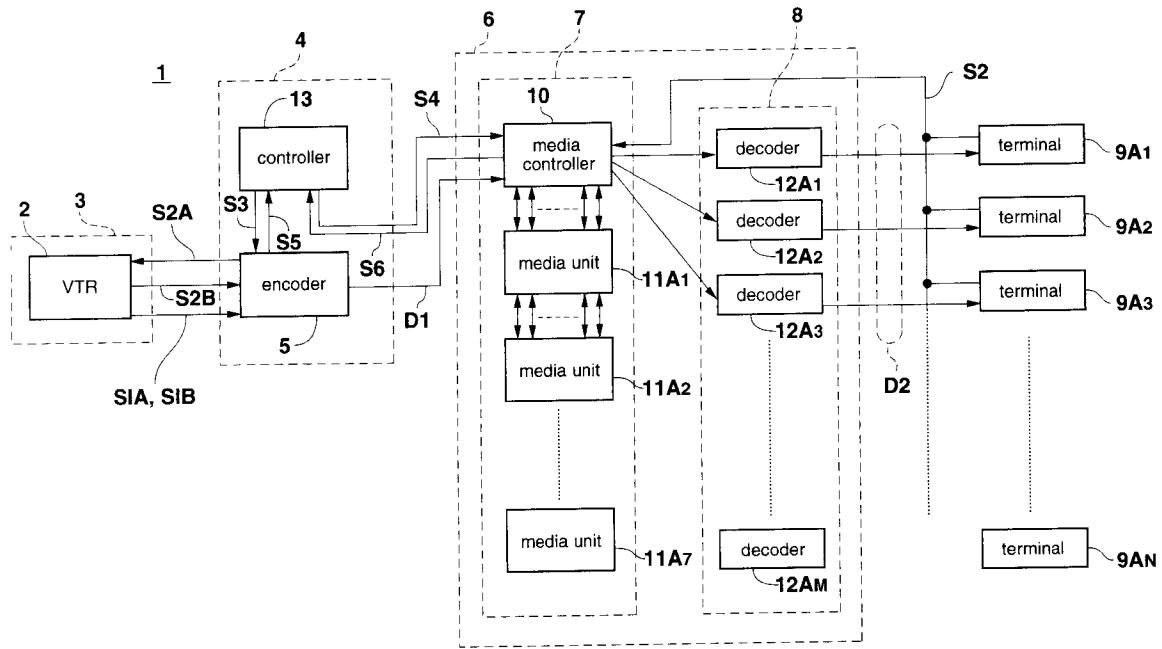
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[57] ABSTRACT

In a transmission device, an image signal and an audio signal are played back at a speed n times normal speed from a recording medium and the played back image signal is encoded. The played back audio signal is sampled using a sampling clock signal of a sampling frequency which is proportional to the speed n times normal speed. When $n > 1$, $1/n$ items of sampling data of the sampling data generated by sampling is encoded. When $n < 1$, all of the sampling data generated by sampling is encoded. The encoded image signal and encoded audio signal are then transmitted to a terminal device.

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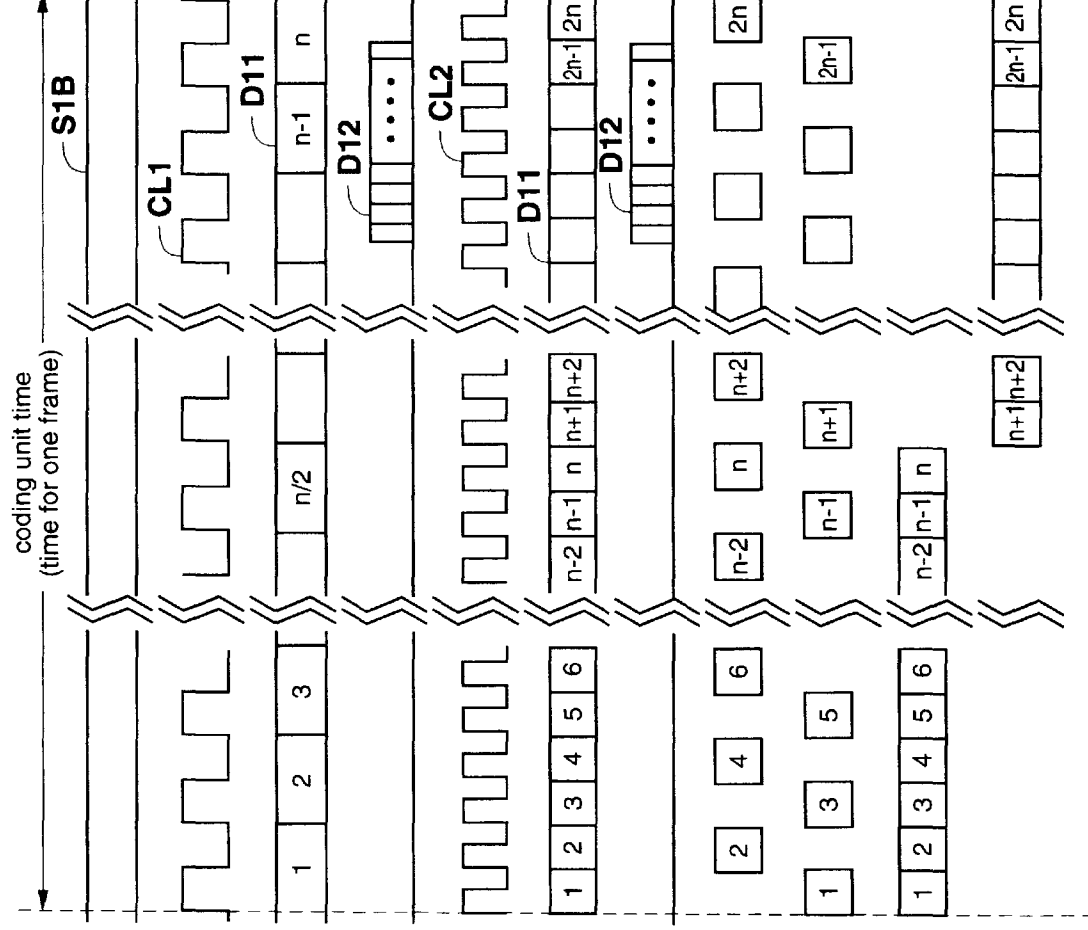


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